

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

IN RE APPLICATION OF DR. HELEEN  
MEES,

Applicant,

For Leave to Issue Subpoenas for the Taking of a  
Deposition and the Production of Documents  
Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1782

No. 16-MC-00209-LAP

**MOTION FOR WITHDRAWAL  
OF COUNSEL**

Grant & Eisenhofer P.A. and Olav A. Haazen, Esq., hereby move, pursuant to Local Civil Rule 1.4, to withdraw as counsel for Applicant Dr. Heleen Mees in this matter, for the reasons stated below:

1. Grant & Eisenhofer P.A. represented Applicant in this matter against Respondent Elizabeth Lorca Buiter but now wishes to withdraw as counsel.
2. Grant & Eisenhofer P.A. has ceased to represent Dr. Mees in this and all related matters.
3. In each of two related matters, In re Application of Dr. Heleen Mees v. Willem H. Buiter, SDNY Case No. 14-MC-00088-LAP, and In re Application of Dr. Heleen Mees v. Citigroup Inc., SDNY Case No. 15-MC-00262, Grant & Eisenhofer P.A. and Olav A. Haazen filed Motions to Withdraw as Attorney on February 21, 2018 (14-MC-00088 Dkt. 59; 15-MC-00262 Dkt. 59) which were granted by the Honorable Preska in a memo endorsement on February 26, 2018 (14-MC-00088 Dkt. 62) and February 28, 2018 (15-MC-00262 Dkt. 60), respectively.
4. In addition to the present Motion, we are concurrently filing a Motion to Withdraw as Counsel in another related matter, In re Application of Dr. Heleen Mees v. Citigroup Inc., SDNY Case No. 14-MC-00056.
5. Dr. Mees wishes to proceed *pro se*. She joins in this request, and has counter-signed below.
6. Grant & Eisenhofer P.A. is not asserting a retaining or charging lien.

7. The undersigned counsel is filing this application to withdraw by ECF, thereby causing it to be served on all appearing parties. This Motion was also served upon the Applicant pursuant to the Affirmation of Service filed herewith.

Dated: January 9, 2019  
New York, New York

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SO ORDERED:

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HONORABLE LORETTA A. PRESKA  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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**AFFIRMATION OF SERVICE**

I, Olav A. Haazen, declare under penalty of perjury that I served a copy of the attached  
Motion for Withdrawal of Counsel upon Dr. Heleen Mees by e-mail and express mail on January  
9, 2019 at:

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